

REPORT OF COMMISSION ON TRANSPORTATION MADE

OTAWA, Jan. 18.—The transportation commission appointed about two years ago to consider all Canadian transportation problems, has made a very comprehensive and important report.

It uses grain as the basis of its recommendations and declares that the facilities which will handle grain to the seaboard will easily take care of all west-bound traffic.

The government is advised to acquire by gift, purchase, or expropriation all rights in the harbors of Fort William, Port Arthur, Midland, Port Colborne, Kingston, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, Halifax, Sydney, Vancouver, and the terminal on the Pacific Coast of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Northern Railways. These harbors are to be regarded as a system of national ports and

administered by a general board of harbor commissioners and to be under the marine department. They recommend that the ports be made free of all charges except those for drydock and elevator services.

There is also recommended the construction of the Intercolonial to Parry Sound, either by building from Montreal or the acquisition of running rights over the Grand Trunk. This is to ensure Halifax and St. John sufficient business in grain handling during the winter months. In addition to recommending that Montreal should be made a free port, the government is advised to have constructed to it a branch of the National Transcontinental, the establishment of an admiralty court and the increase of its elevator capacity to 8,000,000 bushels.

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Be Ready For Croup AND INSIST ON HAVING THE TIME TESTED MEDICINE

Dr. Chase's SYRUP OF Linsced and Turpentine

It is not a question of whether you will need a treatment for coughs, colds and croup in your home, but the question is, will you select the most effective medicine, or simply be satisfied to take whatever your druggist happens to hand out to you.

Time and experience have proven that you can depend on Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linsced and Turpentine at such times.

It is only necessary to remember this when the critical time comes, and to insist on getting what you ask for.

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—Mr. W. C. Archibald, Glenelg, Guysborough Co., N. S.

Being pleasant to the taste, it is readily taken by children. Because it brings quick relief to the sufferer from asthma, bronchitis, whooping cough and all the most serious diseases of the throat and lungs, it is invaluable as a household medicine. 25 cents a bottle, at all dealers.

TRIAL BEGINS MONDAY. PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 18.—The second trial of Edward F. Cole for the murder of his chum, John P. Stueves, in Falmouth woods last April, will begin in the superior court next Monday afternoon. In September the jury disagreed.

BELL ELECTED PRESIDENT. HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 17.—The annual meeting of the board of trade was held yesterday, and A. M. Bell was elected president. The new president is senior member of the firm of A. M. Bell & Co., hardware merchants.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE... 25c. is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

COMING EVENTS. City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. P. E. Kelly Mayor W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

S. O. E. Next meeting Lodge Prince Edward, Tuesday Jan. 9th at 8 p. m. initiation.

Mindard's Liniment Cures Dandruff. Iron-ox Tablets mean good health. Try a box, at your druggist's, 25 cts per box. 4d4f

For use on sewing machines, bicycles and all purposes requiring a fine lubricant, the best is cheapest in the end. Genuine Singer oil only be obtained at Singer stores. Look for the red S. Queen Street, Charlottetown; also on south side of Water Street, Summerside, P. E. I.

Monday's List of Never Equalled FIRE SALE BARGAINS!

STYLISH COVERT COATS—\$3.50

We've just a dozen coats to offer. Every one is a 1905 importation, correct as to fit—fashionable as to style. They're mostly medium lengths—splendidly finished, perfect fitting. Made of fine covert cloth—some of beaver. Fawns and greys only. Original selling prices \$9.75 to \$17.95. CHOOSE NOW AT \$3.50



Buy one NOW while you've the opportunity, WORTH \$8.90, TO-DAY..... \$2.75

RAINPROOFS 50c.

About twenty five Ladies' and Children's Raincoats—various styles, sizes and colors—go on sale today at this extraordinary low price. While some are somewhat crushed, others are quite good and every one worth considerably more than the sale price indicates, worth up to \$7.50. TO-DAY..... 50c

Lustre Dust-Coats—\$2.75

It's a little out of the ordinary to offer bargains in lustre dust coats at this season. However this sale is out of the ordinary. Such items as these represent our determination to clean everything out. Ladies' full length dust coats of fine quality, navy, and grey lustre, very silky and brilliant finish, very neat style, neatly trimmed with fancy buttons. Invaluable during dusty summer months. Remittances can be sent by Postal Note Express or Money Order, or postage stamps to The Guardian, Charlottetown. A postal card mailed to this office will bring a sample copy by return mail to the address given.

CUT-PRICE DRESS FABRICS

Such a purchasing opportunity occurs but once a lifetime. Elegant dress fabrics, beavers, etc. offered in many instances at less than cost of manufacture. For instance:

DRESS GOODS—Double width dress goods, 42-44 inches wide in a wide variety of shades, plain and fancy, former values being from 58c to \$1.10 TO-DAY 35c

BLACK CLOTHS—Finest quality broadcloth suitings, perfect dye, pure wool, 54 inches wide at \$1.65 for \$1.10—\$1.85 for \$1.25—\$2.35 for..... TO-DAY \$1.55

CHEVIOTS—Fine cheviots in black and Myrtle, splendid goods and rare bargains. Black cheviot worth \$1.60 for \$1.08—Myrtle cheviot \$1.45 for 91c—\$1.65 for..... TO-DAY \$1.10

CLOTHS—Many of these cloths are reduced to LESS THAN HALF PRICE. Some of these goods got a little wet—some were untouched. All were marked at same discounts, \$1.10 NOW 45c—\$1.60 NOW 78c—\$2.20 NOW 95c—\$2.90 cloth..... TO-DAY \$1.30

WATERPROOF CLOTH—A few pieces of fine waterproof cloth in green and grey. Full 54 inches wide. Regular \$1.25 for 82c—\$2.70 for \$1.44—\$2.70 for..... TO-DAY \$1.80



This never equalled sale of FURS—HALF PRICE—provides splendid bargains for quick buyers. Not a trace of damage beyond a scarcely noticeable odor of smoke.

STOLES Alaska Sable..... \$22.00 NOW \$11.00 Columbia Sable..... 28.50 NOW 14.25 German Mink..... 10.25 NOW 5.13 Grey Squirrel..... 19.00 NOW 9.50

BOAS Bear..... \$5.00 NOW \$19.00 Thibet..... 18.50 NOW 9.25

STOLE COLLARS German Mink..... \$26.00 NOW \$13.00 Rat..... 17.50 NOW 8.50

RUFFS Mink..... \$18.50 NOW \$ 9.25 Alaska Sable..... 8.75 NOW 4.38

COLLARS Black Coney..... \$ 1.60 NOW 80c Black Coney..... 3.35 NOW \$ 1.68 Persian Lamb..... 11.50 NOW 5.75

UNDERWEAR—Children's summer underwear, all sizes, slightly damaged by fire, smoke and water worth up to 20c..... TO-DAY 5c

ASTRACHAN MITTS—Children's sizes, black and grey. Worth 90c and \$1.00 the pair..... TO-DAY 58c

STAMPED MATS—New patterns all sizes, for door, hearth and crumb cloths. Worth 15c, 30c, and 95c..... TO-DAY..... 10c, 16c and 60c

MEN'S HOSK—Men's heavy black worsted half hose, all sizes. Undamaged beyond a smell of smoke worth 28c pr..... TO-DAY 15c

EMBROIDERY—A splendid bargain in insertions and embroideries—all widths, pretty patterns—undamaged, worth \$1 to 15c..... TO-DAY 5c

MEN'S GLOVES—Lined winter gloves are undamaged. Such bargains as these are offered: 65c gloves for 35c, 85c gloves for 45c—\$1.10 gloves for 65c, \$1.35 gloves..... TO-DAY 75c

LADIES' HOSK—Heavy worsted all wool winter hosiery, splendid weavers, all sizes, worth 40c to 55c..... TO-DAY 25c

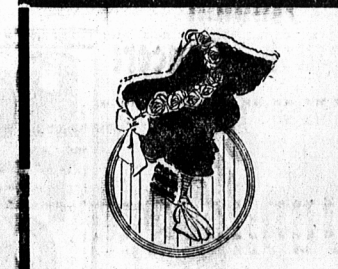
"WAVES" MUFFLERS—Still a few left in white and dark colors, best mullers made. 35c quality now 23c—50c quality now 33c—90c quality..... TO-DAY 60c

WHITE LAWN APRONS—To-day these all go on sale at HALF PRICE. Some are slightly mussed by handling, etc.—more are burned. Regular prices 24c, 32c, 44c, 50c, 72c, 85c, 98c..... TO-DAY HALF PRICE

MEN'S HATS—Of best English felt, black and brown, all sizes, fair shapes. Worth up to \$2.75..... TO-DAY 35c

MEN'S CAPS—A table full of every sort and size. Serge and tweeds. Worth up to 75c..... TO-DAY 25c

BRUSH BRAIDS—The best make and nearly every shade. Worth from 5c to 10c the yard..... TO-DAY 2c

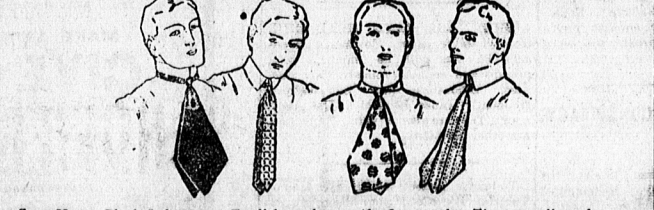


Millinery 5c, 15c, 25c, 30c, 50c.

These prices represent our determination to make a clean sweep in this department—clearing everything out to the last feather.

We've grouped our millinery into lots at one or other of the above prices. FAR BELOW COST. There's many a bargain here for buyers of millinery. ALL FELT SHAPES—10c

BARGAINS FOR MEN



SOFT HATS—Black Soft Hats. English make worth \$5.25 each. These are all good shapes finished with leather sweat and silk binding. The boxes containing them were ruined with water but the hats were practically undamaged. To clear the lot out quickly we'll sell them at..... TO-DAY 49c.

NECKWEAR—A splendid stock of the newest and most fashionable sorts in Derby, Puff, Bow and knot styles. 20c. NECKWEAR 15c. 35c. NECKWEAR 23c. 50c. NECKWEAR 33c.

SWATERS—In men's and boys. Still a good variety including fine English cashmere sweaters worth from 90c, to \$2.15..... TO-DAY 60c. TO \$1.43

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—A big variety purchased for Christmas selling. In narrow and wide hem stitched edges, plain and initialed, worth from 35c to 90c each..... TO-DAY HALF PRICE.

FLANNEL SHIRTS—Grey and navy blue flannel shirts.—Best made with big ample bodies—long sleeves. Most sizes. Worth \$1.25 to \$2.50..... TO-DAY 84c. TO \$1.25

SATEEN SHIRTS—Black sateen shirts of every sort plain and twilled. Guaranteed fast black. All sizes worth 45c. to \$1.35..... TO-DAY 29c. TO 50c

BARGAIN ITEMS

VELVETRENS—Fine velveteens, close pile, rich colors in purple, navy, brown, red and black. Pretty corded velvets in brown, green and navy included. Worth 68c a yard..... TO-DAY 37c

CUSHION TOPS—A great variety of lithograph, tapestry, and colored denim cushion tops. Worth up to 75c. Your choice..... TO-DAY 18c

CURTAINS—Our line of samples—considerably soiled but some very fine goods included. Only one curtain—half pair—of a pattern. Worth up to \$2.50 a pair, the half curtain for 25c. Worth from \$2.50 to \$8.00, the half curtain for..... TO-DAY 50c

GLOVES—Black and colored gloves in lielle thread and taffeta silk, all sizes. Buy now for spring wear. Former prices 25c to 75c. A great bargain..... TO-DAY 10c and 20c

FANCY LINES—Fancy damask tray cloths, table covers, centers, dollies, a large variety worth 15c to \$1.50..... TO-DAY HALF PR

INDIGO DUCK—Best quality Indigo duck, spot and fancy patterns, regular 15c the yard..... TO-DAY 9c

WOOL GOODS—Children's wool hoods, infants, booties, etc., all go..... TO-DAY HALF PRICE

SKIRTS—Fine skirt, of special quality "span glass" a steen in brown and navy. Very light weight—nicely finished, perfect fitting. Worth \$1.75. Imported English skirts of fancy black and white sateen of fine quality, splendidly made. Worth \$2.25. Both lots go on sale at..... TO-DAY 95c

UNDERWEAR—Boys underwear in "Stanfields" and "Watson" unshrinkable makes. Pure wool goods, splendid weavers, and positively won't shrink. This lot includes sizes from 24 to 30 and values that formerly sold up to \$1.10 each. Not many left, all go on sale at... TO-DAY 50c

The Serges-Worsted

We've quite a nice variety of Serges, Vicunias, Worsted, etc. for Men's Suits. These are all imported English Cloth and splendid value. Prices range from \$1.60 to \$3.00 a yard and are selling now at \$1.07 to \$2.33 a yard. Three and a half yards makes a suit at a saving to you at quite a snug sum. Think it over. Come while you've the opportunity—and come quickly.

For Men's Suits.

The Silk Waists

Just think what an opportunity this sale affords to invest in a well silk waist. Please note these are not old style waists but brand new goods having come in a short time before the fire and intended for Christmas selling.

The occasion is one that demands quick action on your part. Yesterday there were nineteen to choose from—to-day there are but a dozen. But every one is a beauty and a bargain. At Half Price.

